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COTTON MARKET

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Cotton futures opened steady; Oct., 23.20; Dec., 22.55; Jan., 22.66; Mar., 23.03; May, 23.23.

WEATHER

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Alabama: Fair tonight and Wednesday; colder Wednesday in northern portion of Alabama with frost.

FLORIDA EXPECTS SECOND HURRICANE TODAY

HEALTH WORKERS CAMPAIGN AMONG SCHOOL CHILDREN

New Methods Will Be Used This Year For Examinations

FIGHT IS PLANNED ON TUBERCULOSIS

Patients and Contacts To Be Located and Listed On Charts

After having given health examinations to 7,200 school children in Morgan county last year, health authorities, by adoption of a new plan for examinations, hope to increase the number of children inspected and accomplish greater results in the follow-up work.

Dr. H. C. McRee, Morgan county health officer, announced Tuesday that this year all of the examinations will be made personally by the health officer, while the health nurse will be engaged entirely in the follow-up work. Teachers of the county will be requested to help in the examinations.

The work among the school children already has been started and it will occupy the attention of the health department during the greater part of the winter. The construction of new roads will permit the work to be carried forward over a wider territory this winter than ever before and health authorities are optimistic over the results they believe will be accomplished.

Anti-Tuberculosis Fight
The anti-tuberculosis campaign will be another feature of the winter activities of the health department. With state and county authorities co-operating, health officials hope to make long strides this winter toward stamping out that disease in the state.

Charts will play a big part in the work. Efforts will be made at once to locate every tubercular patient in this county and in the other counties in which health work is done. After the patients have been located, the next step will be the location of all "contacts." These, together with the patients, will be listed on the charts, copies of which will be kept here and in Montgomery.

The patients will be visited and informed of methods of treatment and of care to prevent the disease spreading. The contacts also will be given instructions in proper care and safeguards.

It is hoped also, at some future date, to have sufficient funds for the construction of tuberculosis sanatoriums, where the patients may receive treatment in their own districts. Health authorities realize, however, that first they must get the tubercular patients located and tabulated, and to that task they are bending their energies.

GEOLOGIST SEES ASPHALT DEPOSIT

George H. Clark Here To Investigate Local Field

George H. Clark, assistant state geologist, of Birmingham, is here inspecting the asphalt deposits of Morgan county, which just now are being developed.

Mr. Clark arrived at the Lyons yesterday and went out to the mines on the Danville road soon afterward. He again visited the mines Tuesday, making a careful investigation of the possibilities of a great asphalt producing center here.

Mr. Clark is known as one of the south's leading geologists and his opinion of the Morgan county asphalt is being eagerly awaited in business circles.

King Maker Is Married to Spanish Duchess



Sir Basil Zaharoff, Anglo-Greek man of mystery, reported to be the richest man in the world and called "The King Maker of Europe," has been married in his castle at Passy, France, to the immensely wealthy Duchess Villafranca de los Caballeros, formerly Duchess de Marchena.

BUSINESS SHOULD IMPROVE RAPIDLY

Planters Have More To Buy With Now, Says Merchant

Business here should improve rapidly now, with the marketing of the big cotton crop in Morgan county, declared F. F. Tidwell, local merchant, today.

Mr. Tidwell pointed out that probably the county's cotton crop will actually net the planters a little less this year than it did last season but he believes that growers generally are better off financially now than they were last year, and having bought less this summer, now have fewer debts than ordinarily.

Mr. Tidwell expressed the belief that Morgan's cotton crop will be something like 15 per cent better this year than in 1923, but he said while on this date 30 cents was being paid for the staple last fall, only 22 was being paid today. The percentage of increase in the yield will not quite make up the loss in price. However, inasmuch as buying has been limited on the part of the planters during last winter and this summer, he thought business would show a decided improvement now.

Walker To Reply To Tumulty Later

(Associated Press)

ATLANTA, Oct. 21.—Commenting today on the published challenge of Joseph Tumulty, former secretary to the late President Woodrow Wilson, of parts of a speech alleged to have been made by Governor Clifford Walker, of Georgia, before the Ku Klux Klan Klonvokation in Kansas City, on September 23, the governor stated that business prevented him from giving consideration to the matter at this time.

"The pressure of business is such that I cannot give consideration to the card by Mr. Tumulty today, but the people of Georgia may be assured that I will attend to the matter in the proper way and at the proper time," said the governor's statement.

Governor Walker had previously admitted that he was the "governor of a great state" referred to in press dispatches as having addressed the Klonvokation, but he neither affirmed or denied that the published text of speech containing the parts attacked by Mr. Tumulty was the speech he delivered.

STREET CAR CRASH

(Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—Thirty street car passengers were injured some seriously when the car collided with a motor truck in the northwest side business section here today. Rain had made the streets and rails slippery and they met with a tremendous force. A hasty investigation revealed that no one was seriously injured.

BUSINESS GAINS SHOWN CLEARLY IN THIS TERRITORY

Harvest Progressing With Greater Yield In Sight

INFLATION PASSED IN LAND DEALINGS

Seven Easterners Here During the Past Six Days

BY W. J. MEININGER
Secretary-Manager Albany-Decatur Chamber of Commerce

An increase in business generally is apparent.

Failures last month, throughout the nation, were less, on a comparative basis than any corresponding month during the past 4 years.

Movement of freights through this district surpasses any similar period within the past 7 years and the peak will not be reached until next month. Brisk trading is seen in the shops; the harvest is helping buying in a somewhat higher ratio than during the last 3 years.

Land buying, in some parts of the country has begun again and but foreshadows normal and sensible business following the long depression, albeit it will doubtless take 3 years for this line to attain its normal condition. Inflation seems to have passed.

Betterment of conditions in agricultural lines is in prospect.

The state of the public mind is on the "up-grade."

Industrially large sums of money are being put into legitimate and meritorious enterprises, bank deposits are soaring and the big investors are loosening some of their hoarded wealth.

Good crop yields are in sight and harvests are progressing.

Capital is looking more and more to the Southland, and this the heart of the fertile Tennessee Valley, than which the famed valley of the Nile is no richer.

This community has been visited by seven representatives of manufacturing enterprises during the past week—each optimistic, each in a receptive mood, each looking for the opening to locate, each realizing the potent possibilities of this immediate section, each mindful of its vast resources, nay, actualities and its real opportunities for production and money-making, because of the enviable geographical location and its many natural advantages.

Seven institutions in six days! One individual represented a capital of \$15,000,000 and the largest who has visited this section during the current year.

Certain things are to be done to induce this capital to our midst. It augurs well that such people have been brought here and it should, by a just right, cause a strong feeling of optimism to permeate our industrial atmosphere. Locally assistance should be given to accomplish the end sought. Concessions can consistently and with propriety be asked of the municipality. As the case now stands the plants are not here and not likely to come unless and until a reasonable inducement is given—to augment the offers already made.

You may move onward for a period of 10 years without them—the space "empty" as against the space "filled!" If one considers the real value to a community which follows in the wake of the establishment of an industry, the community will readily find itself compensated an hundred fold for any concession so given.

It were folly to suppose that the active work of other sections or their offers of concessions will be overlooked—they cover not alone remission of taxes, but villages, sites or financial flotations—dependent upon the size of the incoming manufacturer, and varying in different localities.

It were well to give heed to this thought for a number of mills are

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MISSIONARY UNION CONCLUDES MEET; WORK IS REVIEWED

Austinville Church Is Scene Of Session Of Organization

MISS HOUSE IS SPEAKER HERE

Community Work Told Of By Huntsville Civic Leader

Following an all-day session Monday at the Austinville Methodist church, the Twin Cities Missionary Union, made up of women of about half a dozen local denominations, adjourned to meet next April at the Westminster Presbyterian church. The chief feature of the afternoon session was a report on the "Community Centre" work on East Grant street and the proposed work on West Market street near the industrial plants on that street.

In connection with the local community centre work, its leaders had invited Miss Jessie M. House, in charge of the community centre work at Huntsville, as sponsored by the Grace Club of that city, to address the Austinville meeting.

Miss House contented herself with a recital of the accomplishments and tasks of her work. Other speakers of the afternoon were: Mrs. D. D. McGehee, chairman of the executive board of the Missionary Union, and Miss Ellen Groendyke, director of the Grant Street Community Centre work. It was recommended by the report of Mrs. McGehee that at an early date the community centre work for West Market street be commenced.

The Morning Session

The morning session of the union was called to order by Mrs. A. T. Hanson, president, with Mrs. S. M. Thompson acting as secretary. The devotional exercises were by Mrs. C. K. Lide of the First Presbyterian church. Following the business session during which the several missionary societies made their reports, Dr. S. A. Steel, pastor of the First Methodist church of Decatur, made an inspirational address in which he stressed the place and importance of Christian service. At noon a basket picnic dinner was enjoyed by the company. The afternoon session was opened with devotional services led by Mrs. J. L. Proctor.

The union meets but twice yearly. At the next April meeting new officers will be elected.

CHILDREN BITTEN BY RABID CANINE

Dog's Head, Examined, Is Found To Contain Rabies Traces

A child of W. H. Parker and another of R. B. Smith, well known Albany residents, will receive pasteur treatment, having been bitten by a dog, the head of which showed traces of rabies. The treatment will be administered by Dr. A. M. Roan.

A pet puppy bit the children several days ago, it was stated. At the time it had feared the dog was ill and, on advice of health authorities, the pup was allowed to die and its head was examined at the Tennessee laboratory, the examination revealing a positive trace of the disease. The pasteur treatment was recommended.

TRANSFERRED

Miss Hattie Johnson, and her mother, Mrs. Alice Johnson, have moved to Memphis, Tenn., where Miss Johnson has been transferred by the Western Union.

Robert P. Hill, formerly of here and later of the Huntsville office of the Western Union, has been transferred back to the Decatur office of the company.

GOV. SMITH'S SON WEDS AFTER ELOPEMENT



MR. & MRS. ALFRED E. SMITH, JR.

When he learned that his eldest son, Alfred E. Smith, Jr., twenty-four, a law student, had eloped with and been married to Miss Bertha Gott, of Syracuse, N. Y., in The Bronx, N. Y., where a civil ceremony was performed, Governor Alfred E. Smith, of New York, who was in Binghamton on a campaign tour, telephoned parental forgiveness, and ordered them remarried in the church. Rev. Father Francis P. Duffy, D. S. C., fighting chaplain of the One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Regiment of the Rainbow Division, performed the religious ceremony. Young Smith met his bride only a month before during the Syracuse State Fair. Miss Gott is the daughter of an engineer on the Twentieth Century Limited.

ARRESTS ARE ASKED OF FORMER MURDER STEWARDS NAMED FOR CHURCH YEAR

May Know Of Death Of Two Broadway Butterflies

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Four arrests today were questioned about the robbery early yesterday of the westside apartment of Mrs. Helen Heyworth, fiancée of "Dapper Dan" Collins internationally known and notorious thief. A platinum diamond cluster ring was found in possession of one of the four.

From their questioning of the prisoners the police also hoped to throw light on the cases of Dorothy Keenan, Louis Lawson and Edith Bobe. Miss Keenan and Miss Lawson were Broadway butterflies that were killed by robbers who ransacked their apartment. Miss Bobe and her wealthy male companion were held up recently and robbed of \$50,000 in jewelry.

The four men were arrested after a bullet riddled automobile was found in a garage. Two of the men were first arrested for the holdup of Joseph Hofstein.

MINISTER ILL

Rev. E. H. Roy, who was taken from his home at the Y. M. C. A., to the Benevolent hospital for treatment yesterday, late, will be removed to his former home in Nashville, Tenn., this afternoon. Members of his family were called to his bedside as his condition is regarded as serious.

Panic In Theater Has Fatal Result

(Associated Press)

NEW CASTLE, Ky., Oct. 21.—The shadow of death lingered today over three of the New Castle theatre's 26 victims who were crushed in a panic last night when a terrified spectator cried "fire." The blaze which at no time endangered the safety of the patrons, cost the life of 10-year-old Emma Massie and resulted in injuries to 35 other persons, seven of whom are in a serious condition.

Sixteen injured were taken to a hospital. Thelma Powell, 10, Francis Whaley, 13, and Mrs. Lilly Smithson of Hopewell were most seriously injured, the two girls being trampled into unconsciousness and suffering internal injuries, while Mrs. Smithson received a fractured skull.

STORM WARNING IS POSTED; DAMAGE IN FIRST BLOW SMALL

Last Night Featured By Torrential Rains and High Wind

RAINFALL BREAKS 15 YEAR RECORD

Shipping Tied Up While Trains Await Clear Tracks Today

(Associated Press)

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 21.—After a night of torrential rains and high winds that, at some points, reached 68 miles an hour velocity Southern Florida was expecting a second blow today.

There was little damage reported as the result of last night's storm, and apparently the hurricane predicted did not develop its full force. Today the sun shines, but another storm warning was hoisted.

Shipping was tied up yesterday and last night is being restrained that the storm, which is scheduled around Key West, may develop. Sailings from points along the southeast Florida coast, eastward, beyond the Bahamas has been postponed.

In the Palm Beach sections floodings of lowlands and impairment of rail and highway motor service were the results of the wind and rain of the past three days.

Precipitation for the period from Saturday morning until Monday night was announced as 11.21 inches, the greatest in 15 years. At Miami little damage was done and the storm, apparently, only edged that section.

Shipping, however, is still tied up to await the result of storm warnings. The barometer read 29.13 at eight a. m. today, the lowest on record there, but rose as the day wore on.

Key West reports abatement of winds and cessation of rains, but shipping, including mail boats to Cuba, still remain at anchor. At Bradenton the storm apparently had spent its force. Several gusts of about 20 miles velocity were felt.

Punta Gorda and Fort Meyers were partly isolated, due to failure of telegraph wires, but no serious damage nor any fatalities have been reported from these places. Six Florida East Coast trains are stalled between Miami and Fort Pierce through a washout on the mainline between Janson and Rio. Three trains are stalled at Fort Pierce and three others at Stuart.

Torrential rains have caused washouts along the track at several points. There is much water banked on the everglades and other low-lying places. Eighteen inches of water was reported in the streets of MoreHaven. Avon Park, in the south central part of the state reported rain and a 28 mile wind.

Reports from Punta Gorda said there was considerable damage to citrus, fruit groves and gardens but there was no one hurt in that section. Similar reports were received from Fort Meyers.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The tropical storm has moved inland over Florida and is now moving almost directly eastward with its center a short distance north of Miami the weather bureau reported today.

The highest wind velocity reported from a land station was 68 miles an hour from the southwest to Key West. Storm warnings remain displayed from Key West to Titusville and vessels in the region of the southeast Florida coast eastward beyond the Bahamas have been advised to exercise caution during the next 12 to 24 hours.

Frosts were reported this morning from the extreme upper Mississippi and Ohio valleys eastward to the Atlantic ocean.

The weather will remain fair almost generally in the state east of the Mississippi during the next two days. The temperature will be lower in Tennessee and in the Atlantic states from Virginia southward tonight and

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ATTENDS SYNOD

Henry Hartung, Albany city clerk, is in Huntsville to attend a synod meeting, as a representative of the Westminster Presbyterian church here.

Classified Ads and Business Directory

JUST LOOK—Nice home and 2 lots in West Albany at only \$1,800. For rent, 10 acres of land and good home 2 miles out Danville pike at \$20 per month. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR RENT—5 room house, 700 block 2nd avenue West at \$25. 5 room house Fairview at \$20. That's all. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One duplex new bungalow on 4th avenue, west Albany. See J. D. Bush. 18-3t

FOR SALE—A Chase piano, built in players, at a bargain; on terms; can be seen at 621 Canal St., Phone Decatur 92-W. 18-tf

FOR SALE—Chrysanthemums and dahlias, Phone Albany 425-J. Mrs. Geo. Couch, 508 West Moulton St. 14-6t.

FOR SALE—I will sell cheap, 1924 Ford Touring car, in good condition. J. L. Echols. 11-tf

FOR SALE—One house and lot No. 405 Prospect Drive, Albany, Ala. House has four large rooms and bath. Convenient to city shops and schools. Write A. S. Prince, Clanton, Ala. 10-10t.

E. L. JOLLY FARM—180 acres, 3 miles west. 140 cultivation, 3 sets houses, well improved, price \$10,500. Will accept \$5,000 city property, balance terms. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE—15 acres of land 2 miles out Danville pike at \$140 an acre, also 10 acres with good home and buildings at only \$2,850. Both bargains. See J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE—6 Brenhin window shades. A-1 condition. Telephone 682 Albany. tf.

FOR SALE—Windshields any cars by C. E. Malone. 27-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Former Brook & Spight building on Bank street, possession given Jan. 1st. R. H. Walker, Athens, Ala. 20-6t

FOR RENT—House and one acre of land on the Bee Line highway. J. B. Wyatt and Sons. 20-3t.

FOR RENT OR SALE—5 room house at 1221 5th avenue south. Modern conveniences. Apply to Miss Bartee 315 Cain street or phone 257 Decatur. 18-3t

FOR RENT—5 room apartment with private bath and all conveniences. \$30 per month. Mrs. M. T. Littlejohn, 340 Sherman street. 22-tf.

WANTED

WANTED—Position as nurse. Apply to Mrs. E. L. Smoot, 1206 5th Ave., S., or phone Albany 663-J. 21-3t

WANTED to buy, a medium size coal heater, must be in good condition and cheap. Address Box 163 Decatur, Ala. 21-3t

WANTED—A 6 room house in North side of Albany, Frey's addition or Decatur that will make a good home to cost not over \$2,500. Must be worth the money for cash. J. A. Thornhill.

WANTED—Ladies in this locality to embroider linens for us at home during their leisure moments. Write at once, "Fashion Embroideries" 1101, Lima, Ohio. 15-6t.

WANTED—Concrete jobs large or small. I have a mixer. C. E. Malone 16-tf.

CLERKS—For government postal and other good positions. \$1400-\$2300 yearly. Experience unnecessary. Full particulars free by writing G. W. Robbins, Civil Service expert, 504 Burchell Bldg., Washington, D. C. 11-10t

STRAYED—One black and tan Walker hound. Scar on top of head. Left my place on the Danville pike during the last week in September. Return to W. M. Houston, phone Albany 9092 and receive \$5.00 reward. 14-6t.

WANTED—Position as stenographer at a reasonable salary. Position to be either temporary or permanent. Address communication to Box 42, Decatur. 20-3t.

WANTED—Position by young lady as cashier or any kind of clerical work. Good typist. Call Albany 297-W. 20-3t.

LOST OR FOUND

LOST—Two female spotted hounds; lost near Decatur and Trinity Mountain; reward offered for same. D. S. Echols, Decatur, Alabama. 20-tf

LOST—On Eighth Avenue or Grant street and Second avenue, Silver link bracelet set with Rhinestones. Finder please phone Albany 46 or 568. Reward. 18-6t.

MISCELLANEOUS

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SPORTS

Test Of Strength Of Last Years Team Shown In Fact Men Have All Made Teams

The acid test of a college team is the naming of its players for all conference honors at the close of the season, the test that a high school must stand is the placing of its players after graduation when the various members troop off to college and prep schools. Albany High has stood the test that shows what the material of last year was made of and the claim for the state title was not made through the Goddess of luck or just a happening that the other teams of the section were weak. Every member of last year's purple has made the team of this year that he

has tried out for.

Raymond Pepper chose a journey to Alabama and immediately jumped into the limelight as a coming great one when he clinched a position with the Crimson Tide yearling first string. Floyd Tuck went to Morgan and out of a field of 23 candidates for the backfield Tuck was chosen as one of the main cogs of Morgan's offense and defense. Quimby "Kinky" Sewell, last season tackle, made good at Sewanee with the Tiger cubs playing his old position on the right side of the line. These three men were among the best that Central produced last year and played all important roles in the Central attack and defense.

Rally Day Program Largely Attended

The Rally Day exercises of the Westside Presbyterian Sunday school, held Sunday, were largely attended, with many of the students taking part on the program. The devotional exercises were conducted by Superintendent O. J. Thomas and Rev. W. B. Strong, pastor of the church. Based on the well known estimate the 15 out of every 20 children are lost to the church, a play was given, its earnest appeal being that the 15 out of Christian service be restored.

At the appeals closed in the play, the missing 15 ones came marching in the Sunday school room.

In behalf of the boys, George Divir of the Glad Class, appealed to the church to seek to win back the wandering 15; in behalf of the older men R. M. Montgomery made a similar appeal, and in behalf of the Mrs. Marvin McCluskey, with her baby in her arms, appealed to the church to save the lost.

Rev. W. B. Strong, pastor of the church, in a short address declared that so far as he could see, lack of sufficient effort on the part of church members accounted for such large numbers of the young people drifting away.

Davis Cheered On Visit To Nashville

NASHVILLE, Oct. 21.—Four hundred diners leaped to their feet and cheered John W. Davis at the banquet Monday night in his honor, when he pleaded for 'a sane, sound, progressive liberalism' that will sweep aside the engulfing tide of radicalism. If radicalism comes, he said, it will be because the dykes of conservatism hold back the tide of public sentiment too tightly. Speaking to the business men of Nashville, the Democratic presidential nominee was at his best. In winsome manner and well placed words, Mr. Davis told the business men that there is nothing in the platform or the policies of the party whose standard he bears that holds any threat or menace for business. He was repeatedly cheered by his audience, which numbered many of the leading business and political leaders of Tennessee. He paid graceful tribute to the Tennessee delegation in congress, a majority of which was present. Congressman Joseph W. Byrns, of Nashville, introduced him.

Prolonged cheering met this sentence which climaxed the appeal for progressive policies:

"And if there be a day when radicalism shall rise in this country, if some day it shall sweep us like a torrent to ports and destinies we know not of, while we flow on its current as helpless as the chips upon the stream—if that day comes, it will be because the dykes of conservatism have been so stoutly built that they give to the rising waters no outlet whatever, but hold them until the flood was immediate and destructive."

Those who wish to prevent radicalism in America cannot block it by "throwing yourselves into the arms of reaction," Mr. Davis urged.

SIX KILLED

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The death of Bennett Williams, a seaman of South Easton, Mass., today brought the explosion yesterday on the up to six the list of fatalities from cruiser Trenton, off Cape Henry.

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Albany High To Give a Minstrel

The Albany High school is putting on a minstrel show on Friday of this week at the high school gymnasium for the benefit of the high school annual. The attraction is under the direction of the expression department of the school, Miss Gladys Bernardi, teacher, and the cast includes the 30 members of this year's senior class. Specialties, dances, music and all the features that go to make up an old-time minstrel will be introduced. The orchestra will be composed of members of the Albany-Decatur concert band and a number of high school pupils.

Power Company In Civic Contest

The Alabama Power company is co-operating with the national movement for the better lighting of homes and is offering a list of local prizes to local school children who enter the contest and adhere to the regulations. The local children are also in line for the capital prize offered by the National Better Homes campaign, a \$15,000 home.

Representatives of the power company will explain the contest at the local schools on Wednesday and give the necessary data to all children who wish to enter the campaign.

The contest opens immediately and closes around the first of December.

Four Party Line Charge Is \$1.25

The new telephone charge for Moulton, Lawrence county, is \$1.25 for a four party line, according to J. B. Cassels, district manager of the Southern Bell Telephone company. Mr. Cassels explained that the new charge was not a flat reduction from \$2.00 to \$1.25, but that the lower rate would be quoted on the "four party line" service.

Local People In Wake of Hurricane

Several local people in Florida in the wake of last night's torrential rains and high winds, were believed to be safe today. Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Malone, Jr., are at Punta Gorda, where some damage was done, but no one was injured. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Humphrey and Mr. and Mrs. Ponsomby Kyle are at West Palm Beach, where the storm was believed to have done but little damage.

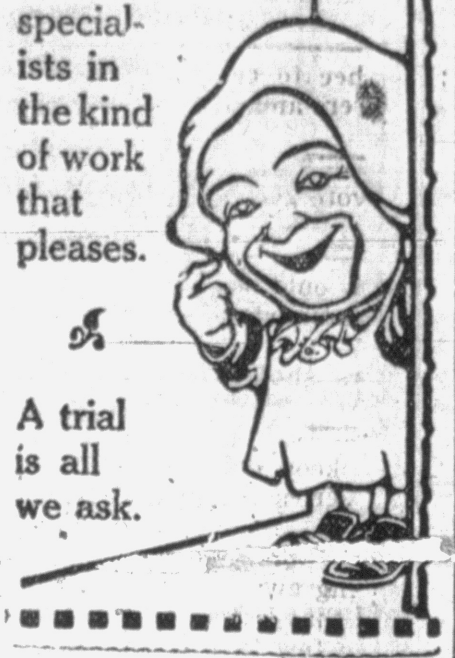
MRS. CLARKSON HURT

Mrs. W. M. Clarkson was painfully hurt yesterday when she fell at her home on Sherman street. Members of the family have been called to her bedside.

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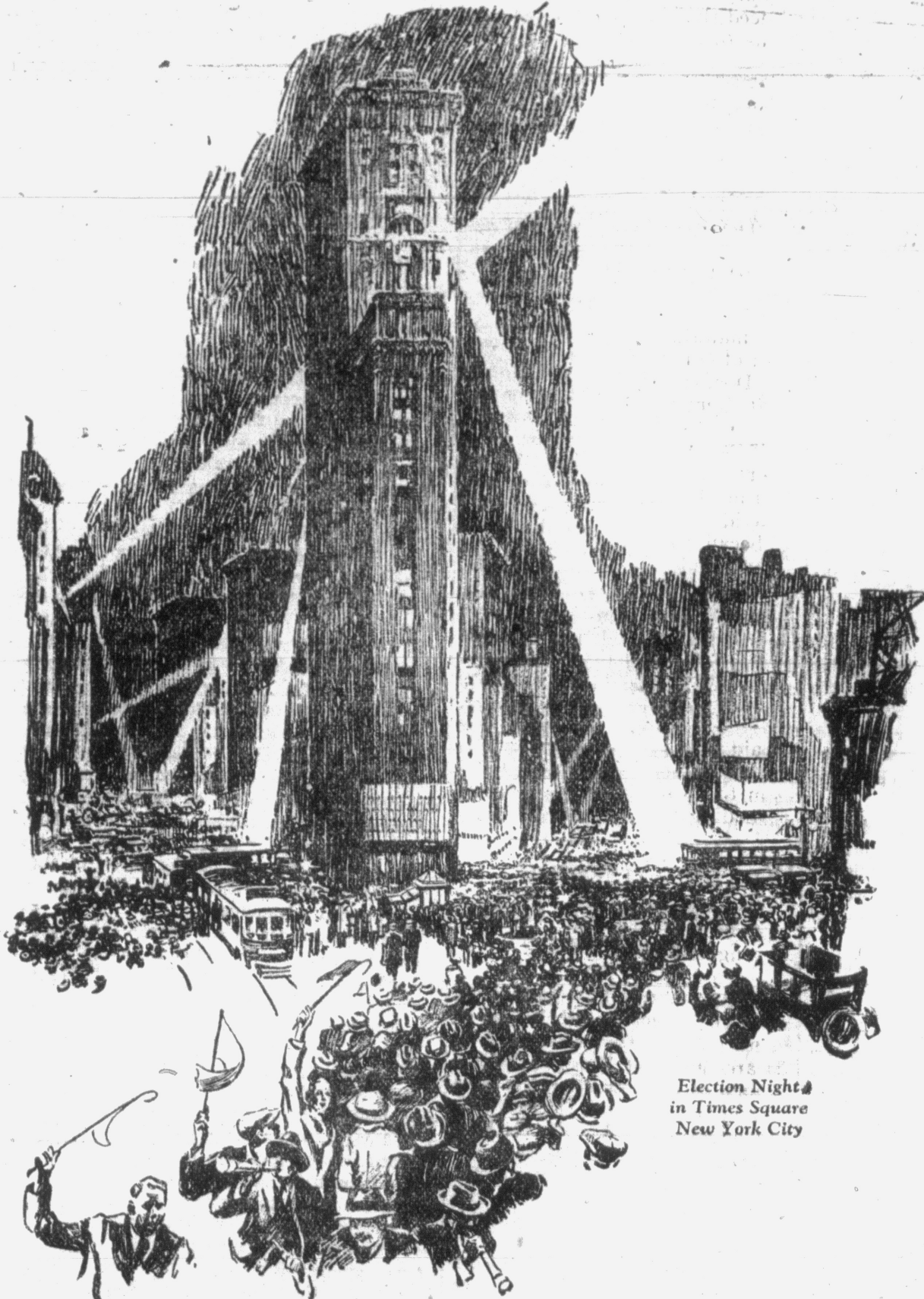


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else and for that reason thin, scraggly, sickly children commence to live up and take on good healthy flesh after McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets have been taken for just a few days.

Be sure and ask Albany Drug Co. or any good druggist for McCoy's the original and genuine Cod Liver Oil Tablet, if you want your delicate children to become strong, robust and active.

For grown-ups they are just as wonderful—one woman gained 15 pounds in five weeks. 60 tablets 60 cents and if they don't put on good firm flesh on any man or woman in 30 days, get your money back.—Adv.



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—by popular choice

WHETHER it's the vital business of electing a president, or the casual one of selecting a cigarette, men naturally place their endorsement where they believe it is most deserved.

Everywhere men are changing from other cigarettes to Chesterfield—convinced by taste of finer quality. Taste is the real issue—and it certainly looks like a landslide for Chesterfield.

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If Mr. Coolidge is not a better vote getter than a dignity raiser he will be beaten.

No doubt, properly managed, it would be possible to make a straw vote even unanimous.

The new cut of men's trousers should more than double the price of wool.

Henry Ford must be a pretty keen observer. He waited until after the world's series was over to spring his "withdrawal" story.

One firm in Alabama even money that three states cannot be named that LaFollette will carry. That firm would have few takers in this neck of the woods.

The republican campaign treasury wants another million. The party is convinced that money talks. Incidentally that also seems to have been the thing that made Albert Fall!

With all of our well paved streets, it is a pity that north-bound tourists have the Echols hill section of the Bee line highway as their first impression.

Advertising is a good thing. Why not advertise tourists, through a sign, as they come in and go out, via the Bee Line, that they are passing the Valley Country club?

The umbrella and raincoat manufacturers haven't gotten much enjoyment out of this fall. Can it be possible? The U. S. Department of Commerce figures inform us that Germany actually is importing beer.

If there were less typewriters and more thoughts the mornings mail would not be cluttered with the political views of David H. Nobody who is running for president just because he feels it is his duty to the great American people.

Politics seems slightly mixed in New York state. An Albany (N. Y.) newspaper the other day carried two articles, one enthusiastically booting Theodore Roosevelt Jr., the other showing the same enthusiasm for John W. Davis.

Whew! James A. Stillman is said to have paid out a million dollars for a wedding present for his daughter. The Stillmans seem to do nothing by halves, whether it be buying wedding presents or slinging mud at each other.

The Alabama cheer leader is the second casualty among the generators of enthusiasm this football season. The Princeton leader recently threw his arm out of place leading a song. And some people still contend that football is a rough game!

At one of the district meetings of the federated clubs, we are told, the stunt committee arranged an impromptu and humorous debate on the subject: "Which is the worse the female or the male flapper?" The defender of the male flapper was said to have won the argument on the ground that the latter harmed no one but himself.

How much astonishment we would create if every one of us today called on some official of the chamber of commerce and, in a friendly sort of way, said "Look here, I want to help you in some way in your program of city building. I don't know what to do, but I want to do something. Tell me what task you would like for me to perform." Yet it takes just that sort of spirit to build cities.

Those Alabama counties which are still without the services of a health unit, might inquire of Morgan County residents whether or not they were troubled with mosquitos this summer. For the first time probably in its history, Morgan County people were not fighting the pests the greater part of the time during the heated term. The fight of the health unit on the mosquito practically eliminated the pest.

Watch for the mail order house subscriptions to the community chest drive in Albany-Decatur, watch them build the new wing to the Benevolent hospital, watch them take a vast interest in the road situation. No need to fool yourself, they are interested in the one thing and that is your dollar spent with them for inferior merchandise, a dollar made in your own towns and your own industries which, come to think of it, the mail order house had nothing to do with. Your local merchants did.

Sentiment is a splendid characteristic, but a keen student of political affairs reminds us that we "had better vote our head instead of our heart."

You may buy away from home for a long time but some fine day you will just buy out of town for you won't have any home. Money will very easily roll out across the country to the grabbing paws of the mail order aggregation, but they won't send any of it rolling back to pay for the winters coal, the childrens schooling, the necessities of life. Your home town merchant will.

The Daily carried 116 local interest stories during the week just closed and yet there are some who believe the newspaper is an advertising sheet. This figure was exclusive of the editorial and social columns and the out of town correspondents. One of that number may have carried something close to your heart, may have said something about you. Keep up with the world and its doings read your home town paper first, read about people you are vitally interested in and turn to the advertising sections and buy from the merchants who are supporting your institutions for your children.

After all is there any class of non-professional or professional men who are any harder worked than the physicians? Two little stories drifted into our office the other day about doctors. One physician here was called early one morning and asked if he could go to a rural point on a case and consult with another physician over the patient's condition. The local physician assented, although he knew the trip would make a severe physical drain upon him. The hour for the consultation was set. He started on his way and before he got out of town, he had a flat tire. He replaced the tire with a spare and before many miles he had a second flat, and then a third one. Having no more spares, he kept going and by dint of hard driving he arrived at the appointed place on schedule and the consultation was held.

The other doctor was called from his home early one morning on a serious case. Before he finished with that one, he was called on another. When night came, he still was on the go, having had no rest and nothing to eat during the entire day.

After all duty is a pretty exacting task master in what ever field it calls up into.

DESTINY OF DISTRICT WITH US.

If the Ford offer for Muscle Shoals should be actually withdrawn from the war department before the opening of congress in December it will not cause any appreciable difference in the plans for the development of this district.

Wilson Dam and not Mr. Ford is the Atlas on whose shoulders our destiny rests. And we can feel assured that Wilson Dam will not be withdrawn, no matter how much some folks would like to take it away. This great source of power is here for all time to come and will spread its vitalizing influence over the district despite all human effort or indifference.

With this powerful ally we can not prohibit progress if we try. Our attitude may retard or accelerate our speed but we are certain to move. And if we really want action all we have to do is to get into the harness and pull together with the brakes off.

All we need to do is to forget Mr. Ford, take over the job ourselves and go right on up. Let's get this "let Henry do it" stuff out of our system and get on a self-reliance basis and we can make all the progress that anybody wants.—Muscle Shoals Sunday News.

ADVERTISING CONSECUTIVELY MEANS BUSINESS DONE SUCCESSFULLY.

Did you ever watch a football game and see the big team with all the apparent advantage get just within the five yard mark and be halted because something was lacking in an organism that seemed to be perfect. Did you ever stop to consider why a magnificent well built, powerful automobile fails to get up the steep grade because there was not sufficient power to get across. That's what happening when a store is stocked with the very latest in style, the finest in quality and a good competitive price and no advertising program. The power is lost. The merchant that does business without advertising in his home newspaper is fighting with both hands tied behind him.

Advertising is likely to fail just as all other human products are likely to fall short of perfection. There are things to be considered in advertising that must not be overlooked or you have merely made an expense rather than an investment. First is the timeliness of the article that you are displaying with printers ink, you wouldn't advertise ice cream freezers on Christmas day. Second, your advertising well illustrated, are you picturing the article attractively and truthfully. Thirdly and of vast importance is the attractiveness in the makeup and display of an advertisement, is your reading matter really readable or is it a jumble of words and terms that some people know and others don't care to know. Fourth, is your price a good one and a fair one, with a reasonable profit to yourself. Fifth, have you studied the demand market and the wants of the people. Sixth, have you the value to offer the good people. Seventh, are you keeping it before the people day after day or are you content to try once, ring up a few sales and declare advertising a useless expense thereafter.

These things taken into consideration and especially the matter of keeping before the general public at all times will mean the success or failure of the sale that you are engineering. You cannot hope to stand even at normalcy if you cannot see the value of advertising continuously. People are not coming around and ask you what you have, they subscribe and pay for a newspaper to read the happenings of the day, review comments and TO SEE WHAT THE LOCAL MERCHANT HAS TO OFFER THEM. People buy the newspaper to gain an opportunity to get at your offering to them, but they cannot get to them if you fail to tell them every day that you have something for them, bought especially for them, and guarantee it to please them. Advertise consecutively and judiciously and the weekly payroll problem will be a disagreeable thought relegated to the past. Consistent advertising has never cost a cent, it has always been an investment that pays dividends.

SHOALS LEADERS HOLD CONFERENCE

Plans Are Not Yet To Be Made Public Says Florence Story

Colonel J. W. Worthington and W. G. Waldo probably best posted men in the nation on the subject of Muscle Shoals have been in the Shoals district, according to press dispatches from Florence, and have been conferring with leaders in the movement for development of the project, it is said.

Just what the nature of these conferences has been, has not yet been disclosed. It was declared that the leaders said their plans are not ready yet for publication.

The Florence chamber of commerce has named C. W. Ashcraft, W. H. Mitchell and Henry Bradshaw as a committee to meet Senator Oscar W. Underwood, in Birmingham and confer with him regarding the status of the Shoals legislative fight.

Cox Will Speak In Giles County

Democrats at the Limestone county capital at Athens are endeavoring to obtain a special train with the people of Albany-Decatur to attend the political gathering at Pulaski, Tenn., on next Tuesday at the noon hour. Honorable James M. Cox, of Ohio, is

speaking in Pulaski in interest of the candidacy of John W. Davis the democratic standard bearer in the November national elections.

It is probable that Albany-Decatur and Athens will each carry a band with them to provide the proper stimulus from northern Alabama. The special train it is understood will leave at an early hour in the morning so as to arrive at the appointed time and return the same afternoon. Further plans of the citizenship of Albany-Decatur and Athens will be announced in a few days.

Murder Charge Is Put Against Negro

A charge of murder has been lodged against Riley Cheatam, negro, county officials announced today. The negro was placed in jail here after four negroes were drowned in the Tennessee river near Finlay's island. Cheatam and another negro, named George King, were alleged to have had an altercation in a boat with the result that the occupants were capitated into the water.

Six Arrested on Speeding Charges

Six defendants have faced Mayor Carswell since Sunday as a result of the week-end activity of Traffic Officer Allison.

"We hope citizens will co-operate with us to break up speeding," Mr. Allison declared today. "We don't want to arrest people, but we are determined to stop speeding."

NOTICE

Mr. R. L. Parsons is no longer connected with the E. C. Payne Lumber Co. We have as our mill foreman, Mr. L. B. Hartung and if its made out of wood we can make it.

E. C. PAYNE LUMBER COMPANY

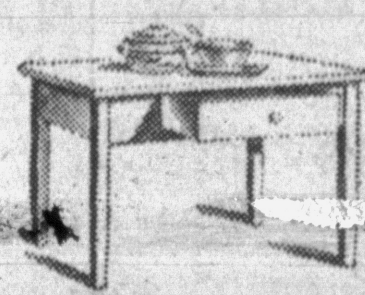
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Five passenger touring car in excellent condition. Can be bought at a bargain. Driven only seven thousand miles. Can be seen at our sales room.

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Beautiful White Porcelain Top Table



While Supply Lasts Tomorrow

This handsome big kitchen table, finished in beautiful snow-white enamel, is equipped with a sanitary white porcelain top and a large cutlery drawer. A table that will adorn your kitchen and save you dollars. Would cost many dollars if you tried to buy it. Our gift to every woman who takes advantage of this wonderful sale. Come and admire it!

The greatest offer ever made in the 60 years' history of Anchor Stoves and Ranges is closing!

\$44.65 AND THEN ONLY **\$2** A WEEK
will buy a genuine **ANCHOR RANGE** at this sale!**Come in!—sale must end soon**Frankly, it may end any moment without further notice—so great has been the response. We make no promises. The thing to do is to *hurry in* if you would be numbered among the fortunate. Unprecedented savings, terms and inducements!**ANCHOR RANGES**
"QUALITY SINCE '63"

More "Big Surprises" in Values and Terms Tomorrow

The Anchor factory allowed us only a limited number of these wonderful new, fuel-saving, perfect-baking, latest "Capital" prize design Ranges for this "Big Surprise Sale." Naturally, considering the surprising inducements, savings and terms—and the extraordinary fineness of the ranges themselves—they are being eagerly selected. Hurry in!

9 of the 58

reasons why you will want an Anchor Range

1. The famous Anchor "Never Buckle" top. Extra heavy covers and centers insure a warp-free, tight, level top.
2. The famous Anchor "Lifetime" cast-iron construction. No scrap used—only highest grade new metal.
3. The famous, big, heavy-lined Anchor "Fuel Saver" firebox. Gives more heat from less fuel. Saves 25%.
4. The famous Anchor "Super Heavy" three-piece fire back. Long lasting but easily replaced.
5. The celebrated Anchor "Million Dollar Oven"—famous for its even baking.
6. Oversize flues which assure excellent operation—even under adverse conditions.
7. The famous Anchor "No Spill" large, raised pouch feed door, and Anchor "Easy Sift" heavy Duplex Grind.
8. The convenient, big, roomy Anchor High Closet—sanitary—easy to keep clean.
9. The famous Anchor "Never Rust" nickel plating.

—and 49 other time, labor, money and fuel-saving advantages appreciated by good cooks. Come and examine them.

FREE TOMORROW

—to every visitor

A "Magnetic" Dustless Dust Cloth—the large size. Chemically treated; picks up dust like magic. Our gift to every woman who inspects the Anchor Exhibit!

Finest Ranges Ever Seen!

For sixty years, Anchor Stoves and Ranges have been "the standard of all stove values." Yet these latest "Capital" design Anchor Ranges surpass all previous creations. You will be amazed at their perfection in every particular. Never again such an opportunity! Don't let it escape. Come in tomorrow to avoid disappointment!

Iron-Clad Guarantee with each Range

NOTICE!

Despite the amazing inducements, prices and terms we offer, a liberal allowance can also be made for your old range.

Schimmel & Hunter Furniture Co.**NOTICE!**

Any Anchor Range purchased at this sale will be held for later delivery without extra charge, if desired. Buy now for the future!

Watch the want ad columns. Sell a home, buy a home, rent a room, swap a car, trade in real estate. Anything you want can be found in the want columns. You read the want ads, so do other people.

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Farm For Sale

Half mile south of Falkville, 200 yards east Dixie Highway, part of old home of Samuel Spiegel, in family since Tyler was president of U. S. Good five-room house, fine barn, excellent well water and 68 acres, 25 cleared, some fine timber, no overflow, but everlasting running stock water along side, about half rich alluvial bottom. G. W. Kyker lives there. Ask J. H. Hill, tax collector who knows the place well. Terms.

Write box 6, Montgomery, Ala

O. P. SPIEGEL

Moulton News

Management of the Southern Bell Telephone company announced a reduction in rates from \$2 the month to \$1.25, a reduction that ought to increase greatly the subscribers throughout Lawrence county.

The first real school truck owned by Lawrence county parties made its appearance in Moulton Friday. It has been purchased by enterprising citizens out on the Moulton-Decatur highway for sending their children in to the Moulton school and the county high school. This appears more economical to the patrons than the method of each family looking after its own transportation. The county school funds are too meagre to bear any of the cost though district taxes may be used for expense of running.

The Lawrence county institute for teachers is to be held in Moulton, Friday and Saturday, October 24 and 25. Miss Mary D. Pierce of the state department of education is to assist in conducting the meeting.

Collections Good In Police Court

Collections in the Albany police court Monday morning were good, the session before Mayor F. L. Carswell netting the municipal treasury \$159.60.

SOCIETY.

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 362.

TUES DAY

Tea for Mrs. H. E. Dryden, Jr. 3:30 to 5 p. m., Mrs. J. Y. Hamill and Mrs. Carpenter, joint hostesses, at the home of Mrs. Hamill. Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club, Miss Sabine Dupont. Mizpah Chapter, No. 19, O. E. S., 7:30 p. m., Masonic Hall.

WEDNESDAY

H. B. Luncheon Club, 12:30 p. m., Mrs. R. H. Wolcott.

THURSDAY

Thursday Club, Mrs. M. N. Cowden. Thursday Bridge Club, Mrs. R. M. Buchanan. Friday Thirteen, Mrs. R. N. Harris.

CHAPEL EXERCISES OF DECATUR GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The chapel exercises of the Decatur Grammar school was opened on Tuesday morning by two songs by the school after which Miss Turley conducted the Scripture lesson, several verses from the 5th chapter of Matthew. She called especial attention to where the Lord's Prayer was found in the sermon on the Mount. A prayer was offered.

Other interesting numbers were the reading by little Miss Marion Bingham, a piano selection by little Miss Hazel Hodges, and a solo by Miss Mildred Holland.

MRS. REAMS HOSTESS

The Young People's Missionary society of the Central Methodist church will meet on Wednesday at 4 p. m., with Mrs. A. W. Reams.

CENTRAL P. T. MEET

The Parent-Teacher association of the Central Albany High school will meet at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon in the library of the Central High school.

A good attendance is urged at Mrs. E. L. Hayes, state president of the P. T. A. is expected to be present at this time.

TEA FOR FACULTY

The Parent Teacher association of Albany will entertain with a tea on Thursday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. F. Smithers, 423 Jackson street.

HONOR CONFERRED ON

MRS. C. W. BLACK

At the recent state meeting of the W. C. T. U. held in Birmingham, Mrs. C. W. Black, of Albany, was elected state corresponding secretary of the union. This is the first time in a number of years that anyone from this part of the state has been elected on the state staff so it is considered quite an honor. Mrs. Black received a very flattering vote, it was stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore left Dillon, S. C., today in their car and are expected here in a few days to be the guests of her sister, Mrs. Frank Lide.

SILK STOCKING CLUB MEET POSTPONED

The meeting of the Silk Stocking Club that was to have been held on Thursday has been postponed until next week.

JUNIOR SOCIETY

Miss Helen Rauschenberg will be hostess to the meeting of the Junior Missionary Society of the Central Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 p. m.

PARTY FOR VISITOR

Mrs. W. E. Crawford will entertain a few friends at bridge this evening complimenting her guest, Miss Elizabeth Brooks, of Huntsville.

Mrs. A. O. Sandusky, Mr. and Mrs. Feton Weaver, Mrs. Frank Cobb and son, and Miss Mamie Sandusky motored to Pulaski, Tenn., Monday on a business visit.

Mrs. J. A. Danley is at her home on Fourth Avenue, south.

BRAGG-PRIDE

The following invitations have been received here by friends of the contracting parties:

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Thompson request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Mabel, to Dr. John Coleman Bragg, Thursday evening, the sixth of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at six o'clock, First Presbyterian church, Decatur, Ala.

Mrs. Porter Vaughn was called to Mt. Hope, Ala., on Monday by the serious illness of her father, Mr. Dukemeiner.

Mrs. Russell Little and son, Otto, are spending a week with relatives in Fulton.

Mrs. W. R. Nelson left this morning for a visit to Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Joe Thompson and daughter, Annie Lee, and son, J. W., returned home Monday, having spent the week-end with relatives in Birmingham.

SHARPLEY-MORROW

Friends here will be interested in the following announcement that appeared in the Age-Herald on Sunday:

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar H. Sharpley, of Hartselle, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Mr. Ernest Lane Morrow, of Decatur, Ala., the wedding to be solemnized on November 12.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON FOR BRIDE ELECT

The first of the many social courtesies that have been planned in honor of Miss Mabel Pride will be the bridge luncheon given on Thursday at 1 p. m., by Mrs. C. B. Elliott at her home on Grant street.

HOUSE PARTY AT TOWN CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Harris were host and hostess at a lovely weekend house party, given in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGlellan, of Orlando, Fla. Their guests from the Twin Cities included Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smiley.

Mrs. Thompson, of Memphis, Tenn., and Miss Mabel Pride, of Prides Station, will be here Wednesday to be guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Greer, for the pre-nuptial events of the Bragg-Pride wedding party.

Mrs. O. J. Brooks and daughter, Elizabeth, of Huntsville, motored here today to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Crawford. They will return home Wednesday.

Miss Imogene Winton returned Monday from Birmingham, where she spent the past week with Miss Antoinette Walker, a former classmate at Woman's College.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Crawford will go to Birmingham on Friday to spend the week-end. They will be joined there by their son, Skeggs, who is a student of Auburn.

Mary Lou Dancy Chapter, No. 320, O. E. S., will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the hall.

Mrs. W. H. Winton has returned from the W. C. T. U. convention that was held in the First Methodist church in Birmingham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clawson Bodry and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bodry and family spent Sunday in Cullman.

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PERSONALS

Burns Almon, of Lebanon community, spent Monday night with his cousin, Mrs. Rennie Jones.

H. T. Baxter is visiting relatives in Sheffield.

R. A. Berry, of Pine Bluff, Ark., is visiting his family on Seventh avenue, south.

WELLMER LAMONS GETS RECOGNITION

Local Boy Is Well Up Toward the Leaders

(Associated Press)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Oct. 21.—Six first prize winners have just been announced for Alabama in the national 1923-1924 prize contest conducted by the American Chemical Society. According to W. I. Spencer, supervisor of the division of secondary education of the state education department, there also are six second prize awards.

First prizes consist of \$20 in gold. Certificates of honorable mention are awarded as second prizes.

Winners of first prizes are announced as follows: Evelyn Byrd Barrett, Ensley; James Venzel Mann; Birmingham; Eli Tash, Selma; Wellmer Lamons, Albany; Clarence Harrison, Georgiana; Ana Boyd, Hackleburg.

Winners of second prizes are as follows: W. C. Vickery, Red Level; Ferdinand Edward Arn, Birmingham; Elmer C. Burnett, Brilliant; Wyatt Collier Simpson, Florence; Marion Timothy Gowder, Hamilton; Helen Jocelyn Evans, Sheffield.

A similar contest will be conducted by the American Chemical Society for the school year of 1924-1925.

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Below: BETTY COMPSON & THELMA MORGAN CONVERSE. Below: ROBERT E. CROWE & JACKIE COOGAN.

Betty Compson, motion picture actress, and James Cruz, film actor, were supposed to be married in Betty's home town, Fresno, Utah, in November, but they have already been married in Hollywood, Cal. Jackie Coogan, child screen star, touring the world, has been stricken with chicken pox in the Near East. Unsatisfied with the life sentences imposed on Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold, Jr., for the murder of Robert Franks in Chicago, State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe is contemplating prosecuting them for the murder of Freeman Tracy, who was mysteriously murdered near their homes a year ago. Mrs. Thelma Morgan Converse, daughter of the American Consul to Brussels and sister of Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt, has left the movies, flat in Hollywood because 9 o'clock in the morning seemed too early to report for duty.

AMUSEMENTS

While most celebrated actresses are flooded with telephone calls and letters from young girls seeking advice on how to go about getting a job on the stage, Mabel Brownell, of "Meet the Wife," the comedy by Lynn Starling which Jules Hurlig is sending through the principal cities of the south and booked at the Masonic opera house for one night only, Thursday, October 23, is not troubled by girls seeking histrionic careers. Instead, she gets scores of letters and telephone calls from women, young and old, asking who bobs her hair! Miss Brownell, by the way, is credited with possessing the most unique hair bob gracing any actress on the stage today. Women who see her in "Meet the Wife" take immediate notice of her bob and the more intrepid sit down and write her a letter or call up to learn who cuts her hair. The hair snipper who deserves credit for Miss Brownell's bob is William at the Biltmore hotel, New York city, and those who ask the questions are told to seek his scissorial advice and artistic ability. Since Miss Brownell has been away from the city for quite a spell she has to have her hair done at local beauty shops which friends recommend her.

When the press representative of Jules Hurlig learned that so many people were interested in Mabel Brownell and asking these pertinent questions regarding her of William, he cornered Miss Brownell in her dressing room and now the entire world can know the answer to the questions so many women have been interrogating William on. Firstly: Miss Brownell's hair is distinguished by a natural wave. She is unmarried, keeps thin by laughing her weight off, and designs her own clothes.

Why Mr. N. Windsor (R. I.) Put Up with Rats for Years.

"Years ago I got some rat poison, which nearly killed our fine watch dog. We put up with rats until a friend told me about Rat-Snap. It surely kills rats, though house pets won't touch it. Rats dry up and leave no smell. Price, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by CADELL DRUG CO.

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For Biliousness or Constipation, Sour, Gaseous Stomach. JUST THE THING—35c

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PRINCESS TODAY

The forbidden story of Monte Carlo

"POISONED PARADISE"

It shows up Monte Carlo's den of thieves, crooks, gamblers, and good timers. See our lobby display of many of these gambling devices, with Carmel Myers.

DELITE TODAY

That fast railroad serial.

"THE FAST EXPRESS"

—Special Feature—

Gladys Walton In

"THE UNTAMABLE"

MINSTREL

Senior Class of the Albany High School at the

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FRIDAY, OCT. 24th, 8 P. M.

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Jellico Cahaba Summit
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BUY PRODUCT NUT COKE
Decatur Ice & Coal Co.

LAST SEASON JULES HURTIG sent you JUST MARRIED
MEET THE WIFE
LYNN STARLING
MABEL BROWNELL
The Laugh Hit of the Year
A COMEDY OF LOVE, LAUGHTER & GORGEOUS AMUSEMENT
ONE SOLID YEAR at the Klaw Theatre, New York City

THIS ATTRACTION COMES WELL RECOMMENDED AND WILL BE PRESENTED HERE EXACTLY AS ON THE OPENING NIGHT AT THE KLAUW THEATER, NEW YORK AND THE BLACKSTONE THEATER, CHICAGO, AND WILL BE CONTINUED SO IN EVERY CITY VISITED BY THIS COMPANY. THE COMPANY

Last season JULES HURTIG sent you Just Married AND YOU LIKED IT!
This Season He Invites you to
MEET THE WIFE
LYNN STARLING
A PLAY OF LOVE AND LAUGHTER
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By Arrangement with STEWART & FRENCH
ONE SOLID YEAR at the Klaw Theatre, New York City

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YOU WILL LAUGH IN YOUR SLEEP

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THIS COMPANY PLAY ONLY ONE WEEK OF ONE NIGHT STANDS THIS SEASON. ONE OF THE NIGHTS WILL BE PLAYED IN THIS CITY.

Special attention will be given to out-of-town mail orders. The sensible point of this show is to send in your orders for seats now and avoid disappointment. This attraction is positively guaranteed as one of the very best bookings of the season.

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LAST SEASON JULES HURTIG sent you JUST MARRIED
MEET THE WIFE
LYNN STARLING
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Mother of three children tells experience with "Mother's Friend."

"I USED 'Mother's Friend' before my last baby came," writes Mrs. McCormick, Liberty St., Pontiac, Mich. "and brought him with very little discomfort. I am the mother of three children but I never had such an easy time with the other two. I recommend 'Mother's Friend' to all expectant mothers."

"Mother's Friend" is applied externally. It relieves that tight feeling; permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and at child-birth.

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Recommended when suffering with painful, frequent, scanty or burning urination, patient often voiding urine only a few drops at a time, with constant desire to urinate.

U-TRI-IT will relieve you. Money back guarantee.

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The comedy that you will place at the head of your list. "Meet the Wife." Coming to the Masonic theater, Thursday, October 23, with Mabel Brownell and the same cast and production, as shown at the Mare Klaw theater, New York City for the last ten months.

Business Gains Shown Clearly In This Territory

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positive in their decision to come to the southland and many sections of the southeast will get locations during 1925. We must take time by the forelock. It were meet and just therefore to caution this immediate vicinity that the future holds a store for a community a return directly proportionate to that which the community gives.

In the use of the word "give," it must be understood not to mean a "gift" or a "donation," but in the light of a substantial and a direct investment.

You get exactly what you pay for. Eastern mill owners are not traveling over the south, with expensive engineers, looking things over merely for the purpose of spending a few weeks in the smaller towns to pleasure. The time of an executive of a large institution is worth real money and our friends from the east are given to quick action, and in many cases they will "come this way but once."

Aside from the really big institutions' official who has just been here representatives of smaller plants have recently been on the ground. To cite a particular case in which certain things are to be accomplished by the community, it might not be amiss to mention (but for prudential reasons no names will be given) that through the public spirit views of a few men in the community, the actual closing of the deal is but a few months distant. The community will not be called upon to "donate," there are no donations in this or any other case.

And this last instance brings to my mind one point which has such a vital and direct relation to everyone, that I am constrained to digress from the original theme—that of the brightening of business conditions. The fact that more people are coming, that concrete evidence that manufacturers are even more keenly alert to our possibilities than ever before and the contributing cause in the betterment of commercial conditions generally throughout the United States.

This is patent—the German loan is off the boards; its flotation went quickly and was over-subscribed; the Dawes plan of reparations is in the working; American and British elections will be over next month and the country at large will settle down and get to actual business before the holiday rush. Normal conditions are beginning; the east is floating large numbers of public utility and municipal issues at good prices; big industrial loans are being taken on and a sensible program of expansion is in the making.

The country is fundamentally sound. The eyes of the world are on America and the gold of the world is in reserve here.

What would it avail us to have a dozen manufacturers locate here with large payrolls and then have a major portion of those weekly thousands sent out of the town for individual purchases?

My first purpose was an appeal for co-operation, my second an earnest plea to "invest"—in its broadest sense—in our own home town. Being an integral part of the community it ill behooves any of us to send our money elsewhere. Here I digress from the main topic and fit into the picture the tentative plan quite recently accomplished with the plant which in reality feels that the deal may be closed.

Local representation will be given on the board—its payroll will be quite large, its operative number approximately 480 people on a basis of 70 and 30.

In the arrangements a plan was suggested locally and accepted in toto.

It was not altogether arduous which prompted the thought but a stern realization that the employees duty was as much to the town as to themselves. The mill wants good substantial people—men and girls—who are citizens of a high character—law abiding home owners, if possible—people of families; it realizes the advantage of building up a personnel of individuals who are heart and soul in and for the enterprise!

Thus far the executive had spoken—he had a right to expect these requirements, he demanded them and in return his company gave proper and inviting surroundings including a community house, rest rooms, a tennis court, handball and sundry games, baths in fine, those conditions which tend to make one big family of the organization, and, these advantages under direct supervision of a regularly selected committee of the workers—women, young ladies and men.

The incident is very clear to me—it was the refreshingly cool after noon of a delightful Alabama fall—skies clear—the atmosphere restful and inviting, and I ventured to my friend how blest we were with such a salubrious climate: on my desk lay an apple grown at Hartselle; flow-

ers which so profusely grace the garden of homes of the good people of Albany-Decatur—preserved fruits in appetizing parcels from the fine orchards grown by the sturdy farmers of Morgan and Madison counties.

The Eastern manufacturer was speaking:

"Truly a wonderful climate and a sterling people. Your survey of the district is perfect—comprehensive in its every detail—it has thoroughly covered the ground and the conditions are to our liking. We choose your community, and so let us hope that when the appointed time has arrived you and your associates will be in a position to deliver. I believe in your community so strongly, that my corporation will give no further thought to other localities and offers because we feel you will do what we have asked."

I thanked him. I feel as he does. He sold on the locality and so am I.

And he was sold on another plan I suggested.

At practically that moment came the evidence of the continuing inroads the mail order aggregation is making in this territory—the dollar hour by hour, the travelling peddler are taking from our country for pose, lingerie, suits, cloaks, clothing and what not—(I wonder betimes that the same crowd doesn't try to induce our good Uncle Sam to sell postage stamps cheaper by mail!)

I was abhorred at the latest news I had been working on an article which I planned presently to give the press and to my further astonishment I came into direct possession of the facts relating to a series of advertisements of an out-of-town department store, which offered the Albany-Decatur Daily large advertising—a subtle inducement to go elsewhere and trade—actually asking our local paper to sell its columns to knife the merchants of the town and the surrounding territory.

Thanks many times, to the policy of the Daily, the order was returned and declined. I have the positive proof and still further thanks that the proof came to my desk at the time the mill owner was here.

He is a strong believer in buying at home, so strong that not only did he compliment the local editor but—

Let me record the narrative and my statement to him:

"We are working diligently to build a real city here—a community of homes—one big family—the foundation is laid! Every condition for a prosperous municipality is here—all the manufacturer requires is at his very door but we are confronted in this effort of real constructive work with an out-of-town monthly check account which runs into the multiplied thousands of dollars. People are obsessed with the idea of buying from the mail order aggregation, when, in point of fact, the display and the stocks of my merchants in this territory are far beyond the average city of this size and in truth apace the stores in cities many times larger. My merchants be they in Albany-Decatur, Hartselle, Courtland, Athens, Moulton or Falkville, show goods when the buyer presents himself or herself or herself, they maintain large stocks and an adequate variety, pay taxes, support the schools, the churches, and before long they will be called upon in the interest of the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., civic community chest drives, and of course the merchant will give as he or they have always done and will give heavily. Then along comes the peddler selling everything from apples to clothing and folks thinking they

Storm Warning Is Posted; Danger In First Blow Small

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in the gulf states Wednesday. Frost is probable to night as far south as

are getting real bargains buy from them instead of "at home stores."

Neither the peddler nor the mail order house extend credit or help in civic work nor community enterprises, yet the same individuals who patronize the outsider never falter in asking my merchants for a deferred charge, nor for contributions. It has reached the point where I have about figured to the end of my pencil—unless—

Smilingly interjected the manufacturer, "unless! Well what's your plan? I see what you're up against and I can foresee too what might happen with our own merchandise which is to be put into the local stores after the plant is in operation, and very plainly and very frankly we expect the local trade. How do you say we can help?"

"An absolute plan that will insure every man and woman who goes into your employ belonging to and actually, in truth and in fact, being an ardent supporter of our buy at home movement, and buying in and from the stores of Albany-Decatur."

"Fine," came back the reply, "we'll put you on the board and you are to act in an advisory capacity with our superintendent in the matter of all employees who are put on our payroll, in fact the initial employment of anyone will be predicated absolutely upon his or her so agreeing to the plan."

Perhaps there's the answer! It may be the entering wedge to selling the town to ourselves in more ways than one.

I left the conference a happy man and as I bade him adieu and God speed, I returned to the office issued with even greater work for the community and the accomplishment of one of the greatest dreams of my life—an industrial center in which each would play his or her part and of which all might well be proud.

My efforts are the harder—the hours are the longer, with more actual prospects in sight!

Here will be builded a city teeming with happy and satisfied employees—successful and varied manufacturing plants, with each one of us possessing an amplitude of the good things and the material wealth of this earth.

I appeal earnestly and sincerely for an appraisal of these thoughts and plans in the hope that each one will take it upon himself or herself to help assist and co-operate and with renewed determination join forces with the community's best interest to keep our dollars at home, spend them here, be one big family, and, above all else, sell the town to ourselves.

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Phone Decatur 32-86, or Albany 396

and we will send a nice Taxi Cab at once to your door and carry you to any part of Albany or Decatur between 6 o'clock, a. m., and 9 o'clock, p. m., for 25 cents.

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Northern Tennessee and northwestern South Carolina.

HAVANA, Cuba, Oct. 21—Reports that from 8 to 13 persons have been killed and about 50 injured when the tropical storm struck the town of Arroy de Mantua in Tinar del Rio, were received here today. Almost every building in the town suffered heavy damage and it was estimated that the tobacco crop suffered severely. Communication by wire was almost paralyzed.

ARMY SHOES

\$3.65

Buy a pair of shoes from me, any price, and get

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Accident Insurance Policy

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

CITY NATIONAL BANK

At Decatur, State of Alabama, at the Close of Business Oct. 10, 1924

RESOURCES

1. a. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsements of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$588,680.50	588,680.50
Total loans		588,680.50
2. Overdrafts, unsecured \$860.69		860.69
4. U. S. Government securities owned:		
a. Deposited to secure circulation U. S. bonds par value)	\$200,000.00	
b. All other United States Government securities (including premium, if any)	5,000.00	
Total		205,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.: Banking House, \$40,000, Furniture and fixtures	14,434.78	54,434.78
7. Real estate owned other than banking house		13,746.79
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve bank		41,847.69
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		166,849.96
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9 and 10)		52,994.57
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12)		11,985.79
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	231,830.32	
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		10,000.00
Total		1,159,253.70

LIABILITIES

17. Capital stock paid in	\$200,000.00	
18. Surplus fund	32,000.00	
19. Undivided Profits \$23,192.63		
b. Reserved for	\$ 23,192.63	
c. Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	8,607.03	14,585.60
20. Circulating notes outstanding		199,997.50
22. Amount due to national banks		8,426.19
23. Amount due to State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22)		1,148.88
24. Certified checks outstanding		246.73
25. Cashier's checks outstanding		1,819.83
Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25	11,641.63	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
26. Individual deposits subject to check	555,587.77	
27. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		56,424.20
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31	612,011.97	
Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
32. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	89,017.00	
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve Items 32, 33, 34 and 35	89,017.00	
Total		1,159,253.70

State of Alabama, County of Morgan, ss.:

I, W. B. Shackelford, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. SHACKELFORD, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

JOHN D. WYKER.

A. D. JERVIS

D. D. McGEHEE, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of October, 1924.

MATTIE M. JONES, Notary Public.

AN OLD FASHIONED LOVE FEAST

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 22 AT 7:30 P. M.

—at the—

CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINGS AS FOLLOWS

Tuesday night, October 21st, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. H. Brannum, 702 Walnut street. Leader Mr. P. B. Hale.

Tuesday night, October 21st, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. W. P. Baugh and Mrs. B. A. Hill, 601 Sherman street, Leader, Thomas Meadows.

Thursday night, October 23rd 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. D. L. Blackwell, Moulton street, leader H. L. Spencer.

Thursday night, October 23rd 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. C. H. Chunn, Sherman street, Judge L. P. Troup leader.

All members of Central Methodist church are cordially invited and urged to attend.

Kellogg's Bran did more in two weeks than medicine taken in 20 years

Out of regard for your own health, read this letter:

Gentlemen: Your "Krumble Bran," used by me as a cereal, has done more for me in two weeks than the hundreds of dollars' worth of medicine I have taken in last twenty years for constipation. It is wonderful, and it is so simple. Yours truly, Arlington H. Carman, Patchogue, N. Y.

Mr. Carman's experience has been duplicated in thousands of homes. Why does Kellogg's Bran succeed when drugs and pills fail? The answer is simple. Drugs have an unnatural effect upon the bowels. They irritate the intestines. The more they are used, the more one has to use. Finally, they have no effect at all. Kellogg's Bran STIMULATES the

intestines. It cleans, sweeps and purifies them. It acts exactly as nature acts. And it is never necessary to increase the amount eaten. If eaten regularly, Kellogg's Bran is guaranteed to bring permanent relief to the most chronic cases of constipation, or your grocer returns your money. For Kellogg's Bran is ALL bran. Nothing but ALL bran can be so effective. That is why doctors recommend Kellogg's.

The wonderful, nut-like flavor of Kellogg's Bran is exclusive. It is delicious—totally unlike ordinary bran. Eat two tablespoonfuls daily—in chronic cases, with every meal. Eat it with milk or cream and in the recipes on every package. Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumbled, is made in Battle Creek. Sold by all grocers.

Give Your Cows a Chance

POINT 3—(This is the third of five ways in which you can reduce your cost of producing milk. For the complete plan ask for a copy of the new 1924 Purina Cow Book).

Feed each cow to her highest profitable capacity. Many good cows never get a chance to show their worth. Give them a chance with Cow Chow.

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"Better Home Lighting"

The local management of the Alabama Power company and the D. G. Martin Electric company wishes to announce that the organization is co-operating in the National Better Homes. Lighting campaign and will offer a number of local prizes aside from the national capital prize. Details will be given on Wednesday morning to the school children.

Get busy now, get the jump on the field, you have the same chance as others.

The Alabama Power Co.
D. G. Martin Electric Co.

Attention Prophets!

There will be a meeting of the Albany-Decatur Grotto Club Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m. at Masonic Hall, Albany. Important business relative to our ceremonial here December 12 will be discussed.

All prophets who are not members of the club are urged to be present also.

L. W. LEE, President
E. E. DICKINSON, Secretary

SEA HAWK

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CHAPTER XIII (continued)

Asad moved on in silence. That erstwhile habit of Sakr-el-Bahr's was one not easy to condone. It had occasioned him his moments of uneasiness, and more than once had he taxed his lieutenant with the practice ever to receive the same answer, the answer which he now made to Fenzle.

"For every slave that he so manumitted, he brought a dozen into bondage."

"Perforce, else would he be called to account. 'Twas so much dust he flung into the face of true Moslems. Those manumissions prove a lingering fondness for the infidel country whence he springs. Is there room for that in the heart of a true member of the Prophet's immortal House? Hast ever known me languish for the Sicilian shore from which in thy might thou wrested me, or have I ever be-sought of thee the life of a single Sicilian infidel in all these years that I have lived to serve thee? Such longings are betrayed, I say, by such a practice, and such longings could have no place in one who had uprooted infidelity from his heart."

"And now, this voyage of his beyond the seas—risking a vessel that he captured from the arch-enemy of Islam, which is not his to risk but thine in whose name he captured it; and together with it he imperils the lives of two hundred True-Believers. To what end? To bear him overseas, perchance that he may look again upon the unhallowed land that gave him birth. So Biskaine reported, and what if he should founder on the way?"

"Thou at least wouldst be content, thou fount of malice," growled Asad.

"Call me harsh names. O sun that warms me! Am I not thine to use and abuse at thy sweet pleasure? Pour salt upon the heart thou woundest; since it is thy hand I'll never murmur a complaint. But heed me—heed my words; or since words are of no account with thee, then heed his deeds which I am drawing to thy tardy notice. Heed them, I say, as my love bids me even though thou shouldst give me to be whipped or slain for my temerity."

"Woman, thy tongue is like the clapper of a bell with the devil swinging from the rope. What else dost thou impute?"

"Naught else, since thou dost but mock me, withdrawing thy love from thy fond slave."

"The praise to Allah, then," said he. "Come, it is the hour of prayer!"

But he praised Allah too soon. Womanlike, though she protested she had done, she had scarce begun as yet.

"There is thy son, O father of Marzak."

"There is, O mother of Marzak," said he.

"And a man's son should be the partner of his soul. Yet is Marzak passed over for this foreign upstart; yet does this Nasrani of yesterday hold the place in thy heart and at thy side that should be Marzak's."

"Could Marzak fill that place?" he asked. "Could that beardless boy lead men as Sakr-el-Bahr leads them, or wield the scimitar against the foes of Islam and increase as Sakr-el-Bahr increases the glory of the Prophet's Holy law upon the earth?"

"If Sakr-el-Bahr does this, he does it by thy favor, O my lord. And so might Marzak, young though he be. Sakr-el-Bahr is but what thou hast made him—no more, no less."

"There art thou wrong, indeed. O mother of error. Sakr-el-Bahr is what Allah hath made him. He is what Allah wills. He shall become what Allah wills. Hast yet to learn that Allah has bound the fate of each man about his neck?"

And then a golden glory suffused the deep sapphire of the sky heralding the setting of the sun and made an end of that altercation conducted by her with a daring as singular as the patience that had endured it. He quickened his steps in the direction of the courtyard. That golden glow paled as swiftly as it had spread, and night fell as suddenly as if a curtain had been dropped.

In the purple gloom that followed the white cloisters of the courtyard glowed with a faintly luminous pearliness. Dark forms of slaves stirred as Asad entered from the garden followed by Fenzle, her head now veiled in a thin blue silken gauze. She flashed across the quadrangle and vanished through one of the archways, even as the distant voice of a Mueddin broke plaintively upon the brooding stillness reciting the Shenan: "La ilaha, illa Allah! Wa Muhammad er Rasool Allah!"

A slave spread a carpet, a sec-

ond held a great silver bowl, into which a third poured water. The Basha, having washed, turned his face toward Mecca, and testified to the unity of Allah, the Compassionate, the Merciful, King of the Day of Judgment, whilst the cry of the Mueddin went echoing over the city from minaret to minaret.

As he rose from his devotions, there came a quick sound of steps without, and a sharp summons. Turkish janissaries of the Basha's guard, invisible almost in their flowing black garments, moved to answer that summons and challenge those who came.

From the dark vaulted entrance of the courtyard leaped a gleam of lanterns containing tiny clay lamps in which burned a wick that was nourished by mutton fat. Asad, waiting to learn who came, halted at the foot of the white glistening steps whilst from doors and lattices of the palace flooded light to suffuse the courtyard and set the marbles shimmering.

A dozen Nubian javelin-men advanced, then ranged themselves aside whilst into the light stepped the imposing, gorgeously robed figure of Asad's wazeer, Tsamanni. After him came another figure in mail that clanked faintly and glimmered as he moved.

"Peace and the Prophet's blessings upon thee, O mighty Asad!" was the wazeer's greeting.

"And peace, O thee, Tsamanni," was the answer. "Art the bearer of news?"

"Of great and glorious tidings. O exalted one! Sakr-el-Bahr is returned."

"The praise to Him!" exclaimed the Basha with uplifted hands; and



"A slave spread a carpet."

there was no mistaking the thrill of his voice.

There fell a soft step behind him and a shadow from the doorway. He turned. A graceful stripling in turban and caftan of cloth of gold salaamed to him from the topmost step. And as he came upright and the light of the lanterns fell full upon his face the astonishingly white fairness of it was revealed—a woman's face it might have been, so softly rounded was it in its beardlessness.

Asad smiled wryly in his white beard, guessing that the boy had been sent by his ever-watchful mother to learn who came and what the tidings that they bore.

"Thou hast heard, Marzak?" he said. "Sakr-el-Bahr is returned."

"Victoriously, I hope," the lad lied glibly.

"Victoriously beyond aught that was ever known," replied Tsamanni. "He sailed at sunset into the harbor, his company aboard two mighty Frankish ships, which are but the lesser part of the great spoils he brings."

"Allah is great," was the Basha's glad welcome to this answer to those insidious promptings of his Sicilian wife. "Why does he not come in person with his news?"

"His duty keeps him yet awhile aboard, my lord," replied the wazeer. "But he hath sent his kayia Othmani here to tell the tale of it."

"Thrice welcome be thou, Othmani!"

He beat his hands together, whereat slaves placed cushions for him upon the ground. He sat, and beckoned Marzak to his side.

"And now thy tale."

And Othmani standing forth related how they had voyaged to distant England in the ship that Sakr-el-Bahr had captured, through seas that no corsair yet had ever crossed, and how on their return they had engaged a Dutchman that was their superior in strength and numbers; how none the less Sakr-el-Bahr had wrested victory by the help of Allah, his protector, how he had been dealt a wound that must have slain any but one miraculously preserved for the greater glory of Islam, and of the surpassing wealth of the booty which at dawn tomorrow should be laid at Asad's feet for his division of it.

(To Be Continued)

Echols Ginning Ahead Last Year

D. S. Echols Ginning company ginned the 1,100 bale of cotton of the season on Saturday, according to an interview given out this morning by Mr. Echols. Mr. Echols continued that the mark reached this season is ahead of the crop output of last year and that he expected this season to be one of the most favorable as well as successful.

Practically every ginning company within a radius of 25 miles of Albany-Decatur is ahead of the figure of last year with better indications of greater increases and better conditions generally.

Mrs. Black Named To State Position

One pleasing result from the recent Birmingham convention of the state Woman's Christian Temperance Union for Twin City people, which closed last week, was the election as corresponding secretary of the state organization of Mrs. C. W. Black, popular office secretary of the local Y. M. C. A. Mrs. Black is being warmly congratulated by her many friends. For many years the new secretary has been one of the leaders of the W. C. T. U. in Alabama.

Eczema Caused Years Of Intense Agony

"I have suffered intense agony from eczema on my leg and other parts of my body for years, and received only temporary relief from other preparations. It is only a month since I started to use PETERSON'S OINTMENT, and there is no sign of eczema or itching. You can refer to me."—Geo. C. Talbot, 27 Penfield Street, Buff.

"I've got a hundred testimonials," says Peterson of Buffalo, "just as sincere and honest as this one. Years ago, when I first started to put out PETERSON'S OINTMENT, I made up my mind to give a big box for 35 cents, and I am still doing it, as every druggist in the country knows."

"I guarantee PETERSON'S OINTMENT because I know that its mighty healing power is marvelous. I say to every one who buys a box that it is rigidly guaranteed for eczema, salt rheum, old sores, blind bleeding and itching piles, ulcers, skin diseases, chafing, burns, scalds and sunburn, and if not satisfactory any druggist will return your money." 35c, 60c.—Alv.



Get Back in Trim!

Do you get up these autumn mornings lame, stiff and achy? Drag through the day with a constantly aching back? Evening find you all worn out—tired, nervous and discouraged?

Look, then, to your kidneys! Once the kidneys slow up in their work of filtering the blood, impurities accumulate and cause slow poisoning of the whole system. Then comes backache, rheumatic twinges, headaches, dizziness and annoying bladder irregularities.

Don't wait! Help your weakened kidneys with Doan's Pills. Doan's have helped thousands. They should help you. Ask your neighbor!

HERE IS ALBANY-DECATUR PROOF:

J. T. Niager, 1725 Sixth Ave., S., says: "I had pains shooting through my back when I got in a bent position. I had a heavy, dull ache across my back, which gnawed right into me. My kidneys acted too freely and I had to get up during the night to pass the secretions. I used Doan's Pills and they cured me."

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Decatur



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Court officials today were in Hartsville to attend the opening of the week's term of county court. Civil cases will be taken up this week.

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